



- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

**FEES FOR CLAIMS:**

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	35	-	30	=	5	x	\$18.00	\$90.00
Independent Claims	11	-	3	=	8	x	\$78.00	\$624.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$260	(if applicable)					<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS</b>								<b>\$714.00</b>
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.								<b>\$357</b>
<b>TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HERewith</b>								<b>\$562.00</b>

- ☐ A check in the amount of **\$562.00** is enclosed to cover the above fee(s).
- ☐ Charge Jones, Day, Reavis & Pogue's Deposit Account No. **50-1432** in the amount of **\$0.00**.
- ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge Jones, Day, Reavis & Pogue's Deposit Account No. **50-1432** for any fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account **50-1432**.



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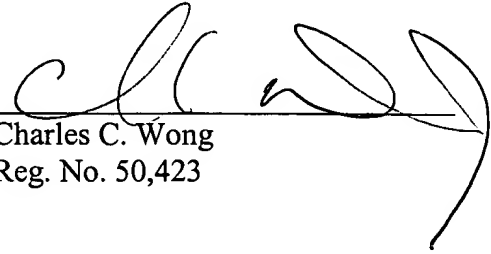
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Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: )

YUAN, Frank S. )

Serial No.: 09/511,650 )

Filed: February 22, 2000 )

For: Auction With Methods )  
and Mechanisms to Avoid Fraud )

Group Art Unit: 3624

Examiner: Snapp, Sandra S.

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2002,  
please amend the application identified above as follows:

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01 FC:2202 45.00 CH  
02 FC:2201 336.00 CH

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03 FC:2252 205.00 CH

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.8a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C., 20231.

**JAN. 10, 2003**  
Date of Deposit

**Trisha Dolman**  
Name of Person Mailing Paper  
*Trisha Dolman*  
Signature of Person Mailing Document